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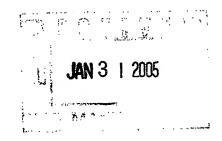
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# NOTIFICATION OF MISSING REQUIREMENTS UNDER 35 U.S.C. 371 IN THE UNITED STATES DESIGNATED/ELECTED OFFICE (DO/EO/US)

The following items have been submitted by the applicant or the IB to the United States Patent and Trademark Office as a Designated / Elected Office (37 CFR 1.495).

- Copy of the International Application filed on 07/14/2004
- Copy of the International Search Report filed on 07/14/2004
- Copy of IPE Report filed on 07/14/2004
- Copy of Annexes to the IPER filed on 07/14/2004
- Preliminary Amendments filed on 07/14/2004
- Information Disclosure Statements filed on 08/05/2004
- Copy of references cited in ISR filed on 07/14/2004
- U.S. Basic National Fees filed on 07/14/2004
- Priority Documents filed on 07/14/2004

The following items MUST be furnished within the period set forth below in order to complete the requirements for acceptance under 35 U.S.C. 371:

- Oath or declaration of the inventors, in compliance with 37 CFR 1.497(a) and (b), identifying the application by the International application number and international filing date.
- \$130 Surcharge for providing the oath or declaration later than 30 months from the priority date (37 CFR 1.492(e)) is required.

### SUMMARY OF FEES DUE:

Total additional fees required for this application is \$130 for a Large Entity:

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ALL OF THE ITEMS SET FORTH ABOVE MUST BE SUBMITTED WITHIN TWO (2) MONTHS FROM THE DATE OF THIS NOTICE OR BY 32 MONTHS FROM THE PRIORITY DATE FOR THE APPLICATION, WHICHEVER IS LATER. FAILURE TO PROPERLY RESPOND WILL RESULT IN ABANDONMENT.

The time period set above may be extended by filing a petition and fee for extension of time under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

Applicant is reminded that any communications to the United States Patent and Trademark Office must be mailed to the address given in the heading and include the U.S. application no. shown above (37 CFR 1.5)

A copy of this notice **MUST** be returned with the response.

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# RESPONSE TO NOTIFICATION OF MISSING REQUIREMENTS UNDER 35 U.S.C. 371 IN THE U.S. DESIGNATED OFFICE

Sir:

In response to a Notice of Missing Requirements Under 35 USC §371 in the United States Designated Elected Office (DO/EO/US), mailed January 25, 2005. Applicants enclose herewith the following:

- 1. Combined Declaration and Power of Attorney executed by the inventor;
- 2. Copy of Notification of Missing Requirements under 35 U.S.C. 371;
- 3. Letter Identifying Patent Practitioners in the Power of Attorney to be Recognized by the Patent and Trademark Office as Being of Record; and
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Applicant hereby claims priority to Netherlands Patent Application No. 1019739 with a filing date of January 14, 2002 in connection with the above-identified application.

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Applicant also claims priority to PCT application No. PCT/NL03/00021 with a filing date of January 14, 2003. A claim for priority has also been set forth in the enclosed Declaration and Power of Attorney.

If any additional fees are due or an overpayment has been made, please charge our Deposit Account No. 08-2461 or credit our Deposit Account for such sum. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed for that purpose.

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